

LEBANON.

What We See Among our Business Men.

During the week our merchants here have been receiving many new goods. F. H. Roscoe & Co. have now in hand a large stock of agricultural implements and some splendid, stylish bugles and hooks. E. Gonn has received an invoice of new furniture, consisting of all kinds of chairs, lounges, etc. C. B. Montague has added a large assortment to his already mammoth stock of general merchandise. Churchill & Monteith are displaying some excellent articles of dry goods, etc., for the summer season. Andrews & Hackleman are also recutting their stock and receiving daily all the latest designs of everything for the summer trade, especially ladies' gowns and children's shoes and slippers. The grocers are in the enjoyment of a good trade, judging from the boxes piled up in front of W. D. Donaca's warehouse, while his shelves contain new brands of groceries. A. R. Cyrus and G. F. Mead have been adding to their stock of farming implements. The harness makers, shoemakers, blacksmiths, carpenters, and all the kinds of mechanics are busily occupied. All this is evidence of a thrifty town and enterprising business men. Lebanon, with its beautiful surroundings and natural advantages, is becoming a leading business center in Linn county owing to the pushing enterprise of the energetic men doing business within her limits, who well deserve a liberal patronage, and are willing to hold out inducements to get to Lebanon a prosperous town, and we take pleasure in inviting live men to come and see us.

Marple Must Hang.

In the supreme court at Salem, May 27, the case of the State vs. Marple, convicted of the murder of D. E. Coker, in Yamhill county, was decided. The judgment appealed from, is merely modified, and Marple ordered re-sentenced. After an examination of the four alleged errors, the court rules that "the three first ones are not well taken, but that the fourth one is true as a statement of fact, as the part of the record above set forth shows, although we do not think that it presents such an error as will authorize the court to grant a new trial. We are of the opinion, however, that the record should be corrected before any attempt is made to enforce the judgment, so as to make it conform to the law and be consistent with itself. The judgment appealed from, will therefore be modified so as to judge in effect that the said Richard Marple be detained and imprisoned until such day as shall be designated and named in the warrant of execution of the judgment, signed and attested and delivered as provided by law, and the case be re-brought to said circuit court with directions to enter such judgment and sentence as here indicated, and such warrant of execution be thereupon issued. The warrant of execution of the said judgment now in the hands of the sheriff of said Yamhill county will be set aside and held for naught."

A Suggestion.

Would it not be a wise move on the part of Lebanon, Sodaville and Waterloo, to have the Sunday train leave Albany, say, at 7 o'clock A. M. and returning from Lebanon arrive at Albany at 7:30 P. M. This would give anyone who desired to visit the soda springs at Sodaville or Waterloo the best of both worlds. Parties from all places south could come and spend the day returning to Harrisburg, Eugene, and other towns in the evening over the main line from Albany. We believe if the arrangements were made, it would be quite profitable to the railroad company, as well as an agreeable accommodation to many people who would avail themselves of the opportunity of spending a day in the cool, shady foothills. Conveyances would be provided for taking passengers from the train to the springs and return at reasonable rates.

Campmeeting.

Our annual campmeeting to be held at Crawfordsville, Linn county, Oregon, will commence June 16th, or the Thursday before the third Sabbath in June. Crawfordsville is situated eight miles east of Brownsville on the California river, near the foot hills. The rare mountain air and water, render it a delightful camping place. All are invited to attend. No swifter tents allowed on the grounds.

J. M. SWENNEY, Pastor M. E. Church.

Remember Stayton.

Saturday, June 11th the Prohibitionists will give a picnic at Stayton, Marion county. Prof. G. M. Miller, of Portland and other prominent speakers will address the people on that occasion. Let there be a rally of the people on that day, and those who are not pronounced Prohibitionists are especially invited. Any one having a "kind" word for the whisky traffic will be listened to. Alas, for a cause which its friends dare not publicly endorse.

Picnic.

On the 11th of this month at Sodaville there will be held a picnic in the interest of Prohibition. Dr. Watts and others will address the people on this important subject. Let everyone attend. It will certainly be an occasion of enjoyment, as well as advancing the noble cause of temperance.

Campmeeting.

Rev. Woolley of the C. P. church, this place, hereby gives notice that the campmeeting to be held at Sodaville, will commence on Friday, June 17th, two weeks from to-day. Remember the date.

Election of Officers.

At a regular meeting of Lebanon Lodge No. 47 of I. O. O. F., on Saturday evening May 28, the following officers were elected: N. G. A. A. Kees, V. G. W. C. Peterson; Secretary, J. M. Scott; Treasurer, G. H. Blair.

Local and General.

Linn county will undoubtedly give a large majority for Prohibition. T. S. P.—The "horse editor" was the "outlet" you allude to last week. W. B. Barr, of Albany, paid Lebanon a brief business visit on Thursday last.

Mrs. M. Riley of East Portland is visiting her daughter Mrs. C. H. Harmon, of this city.

Mr. J. O. Roland, the enterprising saddler and harness maker, has our thanks for favors on Saturday last. A large number of people visited Soda Hill on Sunday last, to partake of the pure and sparkling soda water.

On Sunday, June 5th, G. F. Mead will preach at Rock Hill at 11 o'clock A. M. and at Middle Ridge at 3:30 P. M.

Some interesting notes concerning business and other interests of Sodaville and vicinity, are unavoidably omitted this week.

J. A. Beard has his soda fountain in operation at his drug store. Call in quench your thirst with its sparkling waters.

Memorial services were held at the academy on Sunday last by Rev. Hickman and Starr. About 15 old comrades were present.

Brig. Gen. Siglin will issue orders in a few days convening the new military board at the state capital on June 24th. This will be the first meeting of the board.

J. M. Ralston, cashier of the Lebanon bank, received this week an elegant new carriage, which with the fine carriage animal, makes a very stylish turnout.

O. T. Porter, editor of the late Albany Bulletin, is now connected with the Portland News. He is a live man, and will be an agreeable acquisition to the editorial staff of that paper.

The largest locomotive in the world has been put to work on the Tehachian mountain on the Southern Pacific. It weighs 110 tons, has 14 drive wheels, and will do twice the work of an ordinary ten-wheel locomotive.

The entertainment at the academy on Friday evening last reflects very great credit on all who participated in the exercises. The children are to be especially commended in their successful rendition of the play "Jip Junior."

The Portland Evening Democrat says: "The whisky men have no primary path to victory, and it is not impossible that Oregon will in November be enrolled with Maine, Kansas and Iowa. A very timely remark, Mr. Democrat."

The eldest daughter of Senator Dolph was married at Washington last Wednesday to Mr. Richard Nixon, a noted newspaper correspondent. Like all weddings in high life it was a brilliant affair. The presents were numerous and costly.

The State Grange was in session at Salem last week. Governor Penoyer in his address of welcome gave the protective system a little dirt, and led the grangers, or attempted to, to believe that free trade would bring them good times.

Mrs. A. E. Kents, a patron of THE EXPRESS, died at Spokane Falls the other day from apoplexy. She was subject to apoplexy, accompanied by dizziness and fainting spells, and fell in such a position that she suffocated, life being entirely extinct when she was discovered.

The advantages (?) of the late change in our mail service is well illustrated by the following: Mr. G. E. Hardy, of this city, wrote two letters to San Francisco and one to Albany on the 18th of May last. He received answers to his San Francisco letters three days sooner than the one to Albany, receiving the latter on the 20th.

A poor case of an editor is supposed to take an active part in everything, whether he feels so disposed or not. If he takes the one side, the other will hit him, and vice versa, and if he takes neither side they both get in and abuse him, so he is bound to be in hot water unless he keeps his distance. Job, and the courage to tell them to go to the devil.

The proposed withdrawal of railroad indemnity lands made by his predecessors will according to Sparks throw open to settlement and entry twenty-five million acres. Besides the Northern and Southern Pacific and the Atlantic & Pacific in large quantities, it will throw open a good deal of Oregon on the O. & C. and the O. R. & N.

The May bulletin on the condition of winter grain issued by the department of agriculture, shows the condition of grain in Oregon as follows: as reported by local agents: Umatilla—Crops are in good condition. Lane—A few light frosts are keeping the wheat back, but it yet looks well for a full crop. Columbia—The wheat crop looks very promising. Yamhill—Crops are in average condition. Linn—Crops are in splendid condition and an abundant harvest is assured.

The following patents have been granted to citizens of the Pacific states during the past week: Chas. Bell, Old Tacoma, W. T., curtain fixture; H. W. Bodeman, San Francisco, Cal., stove grate; T. A. Byler, San Francisco, Cal., hoisting machine; G. A. & C. F. Fleming, San Jose, Cal., fruit dryer; M. H. Murphy, Portland, Or., fruit picker; A. G. Page, San Francisco, Cal., elevator; J. Pracy, San Francisco, Cal., direct acting machine; Paul Possiter, San Francisco, Cal., feed water heater; W. L. Van Harlingen, Gastonville, Ore., joint joints, and W. J. Woodley, fence rail and stopper, both of San Francisco.

J. B. Fithian of the Portland Evening Democrat, pays the following tribute to the memory of the late E. L. Bristow: "The writer was a companion slave of the midnight lamp, of Mr. Bristow for four years, and during that time not a cross word passed between us. He was a pleasant gentleman to work with, honest and conscientious. He has passed through the valley of the shadow of death, and crossed over Jordan. He goes from us like a song we love, which dies on the evening air. We go out with the tide and we watch him till he sinks below the horizon and long to keep him with us. He is gone and it leaves in our heart a vacancy, a ditch, a painful regret which cannot be compensated."

From the Pendleton Tribune of May 26, we take the following, which is encouraging from Eastern Oregon: On our third page will be found the proceedings of the meeting called on Saturday, for the purpose of instituting a Prohibition Amendment League. The call brought out quite a number of the temperance people from different parts of the county, and considerable interest was manifested in the move to try Prohibition in Oregon. The temperance people will put forth every effort to carry the measure, and if any one supposes it will be snuffed under there is a surprise party in store for them. The state will be flooded with temperance speakers, and the iron will be kept hot and effected blows repeatedly dealt.

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Brownsville News.

June 2. Men and teams are busy working out road faces. Mrs. R. Darch of Coburg, visited town on Saturday last. For the past week the weather has been clear, warm and pleasant. The little daughter of Wm. Templeton is yet in a very critical condition. Mrs. Elias Masters has been the guest of Mrs. W. R. Kirk for the past week. On Monday last Phillip Willig and family started for Arlington, Wasco county.

Miss Ida Coshaw, who has been visiting friends near Harrisburg, returned home on Friday. J. F. Jenner accompanied by his wife left for Prineville, via The Dalles on Monday last.

The thermometer marked 85 degrees in the shade at 3 P. M. on Saturday; on Sunday 98 degrees.

Our town is now without a merchant tailor. There is a good opening for a first-class mechanic.

During the past week F. E. Croft visited Alsea valley where he purchased a band of sheep.

Mrs. R. N. Thompson, who for the past week has been visiting friends in Portland, returned home on Thursday last. A. E. Ellis, formerly of this place, at present a resident of Seattle, paid our town a visit during the past week.

Protect your eyes from the sun and dust. Colored goggles, spectacles and eye glasses for sale by Pillsbury the jeweler.

Saturday last Messrs. Ambrose and Hume weighed their thoroughbred Cotswold flock, which tipped the beam at 210 pounds.

Mrs. Morris Jaeger, on Saturday last left for the Dalles, from which place she will proceed twenty miles, to the home of her parents.

James Warren who during the past week returned from Prineville, reports the snow fifteen feet in depth on Sand mountain, at the summit.

Phillip Willig, who left our town for Alkali on Wednesday last has returned for his family, who will accompany him back to his new location.

Services were conducted on Sabbath last at the Baptist church by Rev. C. M. Hill. Rev. Carpus Sperry filling his regular appointment at Rock Hill.

Prof. H. S. Strang, left for Halsey on the morning of Saturday last, at which place he delivered a speech on the occasion of the picnic given by the Halsey band.

Mr. Sage and family on Thursday evening last arrived from Albany. They will move into the Frank Hyde house recently purchased by Mr. Sage from W. R. Kirk.

Chen, the little son of H. McFarland, who was seriously injured by falling into the water, is yet in a dangerous condition from injuries received.

Considerable attention has been drawn to a new model churn the work of Mr. Drake, which has been on exhibition at the store of G. A. Dyson. The mechanism of the churn is very simple but is a success in producing butter in the space of seven minutes.

From George Gross proprietor of the soda springs at Waterloo, who was in town on Tuesday last, we learn that the river will be sufficiently low, in from one to two weeks to permit water being taken from the spring, notice of which will be given in the LEBANON EXPRESS.

The recent warm spell of weather brings to mind the cool mountain shades, sparkling ley streams and summer resorts, that many of our citizens will visit during the oppressive weather of the next three months. Already many are making arrangements for a lengthened stay at some of the many health giving localities for which Oregon is so justly celebrated.

Rev. C. M. Hill of Eugene on the evening of Saturday last, at the Baptist church, commenced a series of lectures, addressed to the "young people" extending over the evenings of Saturday, Sunday and Monday. The exercises throughout were of a high order, and great interest being manifested in the subject under discussion, which was eloquently argued by the Rev. gentleman.

Died—May 26th, 1887, Mrs. J. Montgomery, aged 84 years. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Carpus Sperry, on the following Monday at the residence of James McHarre, sr. where an extremely large gathering of the friends of the departed woman took place. Mrs. Montgomery who emigrated from Tennessee to Oregon in the year 1849, was the grandmother of 44 children.

During the month of June the A. O. U. W. will pay twelve cents on assessments, amounting to \$24,000. Of this number eight deaths occurred at Naimimo, B. C., on the 3d day of May, 1887, from an explosion of coal mines. The whole number of deaths during the year in the order for the past year number 37; the whole number of assessments paid by members amounts to 22, fifteen having been paid from the surplus fund.

On the afternoon of Monday last the usual quiet of our town was disturbed by a sudden rattling of wheels, accompanied by the ringing hoof beats of a runaway team of horses, which unbridled of the wear and tear of the wagon to which they were attached, were making fast time, unrestrained by rein or driver. After "taking in" the principal streets, and doing but little damage other than the destruction of the hotel sign, and a few feet of sidewalk, they were brought to a standstill near the factory.

A stroll through town brings to notice many improvements. The agricultural depot of Coshaw & Cable is finished and furnished with stock of many valuable implements. The property of G. A. Dyson is receiving many additions in the way of a new fence, which as well as the dwelling is being repainted. To the dwelling of O. P. Coshaw, Jr., has been added a new porch, the house being newly painted. Jay A. Bishop has completed a new barn. The work on the residence of W. R. Kirk is being pushed rapidly ahead. Wm. Cox has ended the frame of a new building. H. B. Moyer has added a new railing to the balcony of his dwelling, also repainting throughout.

The dwelling of T. S. Pillsbury has received an addition of a new balcony. Harvey Stanard has built a new porch to his residence. These are but a few of the many improvements taking place, and although the cry of hard times is sometimes heard, yet there is nothing to show that the town is retrograding, or that business is not as good or perhaps a little better, than in many valley towns of the population of this place.

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Sodaville Notes.

June 2. Mr. Bishop was seen in town one day this week. Tombed Cokerrow is the guest of Mr. Talbot of this city. Our veteran poultry man has gone to Southern Oregon for his health. Miss Mustard has purchased the millinery stock of Mrs. Lenington. D. N. Weaver says that the best kind of a sidewalk is walking beside a beautiful woman.

Geo. Vandorpool has been elected to take charge of the infant class in the Sabbath school here. Rev. Geo. Klum will preach here the eighth Sunday in this month. Subject "The Immortality of the Soul."

W. L. Lyons has purchased two lots on First street and intends to erect a large restaurant thereon soon.

Mr. Fry has been employed at the Fountain House as head waiter. Mr. Fry is an expert in that vocation.

Mrs. Wm. Wilson is laying very low with scarlet fever. Drs. Wilson and Goble are the attending physicians.

Mr. Green says that he will have melons ripe when canning commences here. We hope Mr. Green will sell a great many for he is a deserving man.

Some loss had the audacity to throw a stone against Mr. Sutherland's house one night last week. Such work should be punished to the full extent of the law.

Stephen Coyle has purchased a steam engine to run a saw and has taken a contract to saw 500 cords of ash and maple wood for Mr. Leslie, two miles west of here.

Through the untiring efforts of Mr. Sutherland the Sunday school is to be favored with some sacred solos on next Sunday by Miss Lucie Kurong, of Denver, Colorado.

The directors of the First National bank met last Monday afternoon and placed in nomination for cashier C. Eichler and H. K. Kiebler. Kiebler was elected by a majority of three votes.

Messrs. Weaver and Squires have purchased the steam packing house of Mr. Wm. Koker. They will erect another large building on their grounds. The building will be 45 feet wide and 80 feet long.

Mr. Howard had the misfortune to lose his valuable thoroughbred bulldog one day last week. It seems that she went to the mill to get a drink and in getting upon the well curb she became overbalanced and fell into the well. It is feared that the water is spoiled.

Wm. L. Worth, proprietor of the laundry, is doing good work. His patrons are more than satisfied with the way their clothing is cleaned. Among other attractions at his laundry the greatest probably is his new mangle machine, which will sew on 10 buttons per minute. May you do a rushing business, Billy.

The many friends and relatives of Samuel Wilson are much exercised about his sudden disappearance last Wednesday night. Mr. Wilson has been very poor during the past two months, and lately has been very despondent. Fears are entertained that he has wandered away into the Cascade mountains. Martin Jackson has a search of a large force of men searching for him, commencing in Clackamas county.

Waterloo Items.

Health good. Weather very fine. The Waterloo colony is booming. Mr. Geo. Gross is laying in quite a stock for the summer trade. Mr. Bobb McCullough cut his foot quite severely a few days ago, but is doing fine.

There is considerable travel over the mountains. Wm. Huselson, Fern Cartwright and Knorr, all of Yonahua Vista, started from this place Monday for Harney Lake.

Johnie Carns has been very sick and is yet, but I think there is a perceptible change for the better. It is quite certain that if he continues to improve they will start for Yonahua, which will evidently be beneficial to the patient.

J. W. Hon, of Howard, Oregon, has sold his farm near this place, consideration, \$500 cash in hand. Joseph Well has purchased it. He can sell out now for \$550, and before the summer closes will no doubt be able to sell at a much better figure.

Grandpa Lee has gone to Sweet Home to attend the public debate there to be held on the 10th inst. He will continue six evenings. A big turnout is expected. The question is about as follows: Resolved, That the church of Latter Day Saints is the only church having authority to administer the ordinances. Affirmative by Elder A. Hays of that church, denied by E. C. Russell.

Mr. I. Saltmarsh has gone after his team and wagon, left above Springfield where Henry died so suddenly. Mr. Saltmarsh's family have the sympathy of the entire community in this their sad bereavement. The family loses a dutiful son and the community one of its most promising young men. He was a most exemplary Christian; never had an enemy; he was beloved by all who knew him, and in his loss we more than lose a brother. But we do not mourn as those without a hope, for we know that we shall meet him at the resurrection; the first resurrection and blessed promise for those that meet there, they are free from the second death.

Oakville Notes.

June 2. The farmers of this section are busy plowing summer fallow. Drs. Gaff and Yantis, of Shedd, visited Oakville last Sabbath. The Oakville Temperance Alliance will meet on Tuesday, June 7th, at 7:30 P. M.

The dogs or wolves have done considerable damage to sheep. Mr. M. Shough had seven head lambs torn about the head, but none dangerously. The Oakville Temperance Alliance and W. C. T. U., with the aid of the Temperance Wideawakes, will give a picnic Saturday, June 18th, to which you, Mr. Editor, and all others are cordially invited. S. A. Y.

M. E. Hearty informs us that the sale of tickets over the O. & C. at the Lebanon depot for the month of May exceeds that for the same month of last year by \$140.

Dry Goods, Etc.

N. H. Allen & Co., Albany, Or. have in stock the most complete line of dress goods, silks, velvets, etc., this side of Portland. Also wash fabrics of all kinds, and late novelties in every line. Ladies, when in Albany, call on Allen & Co., and inspect stock and prices. Samples sent upon application when desired. nos 3m

PROHIBITION.

An Enthusiastic Meeting at Providence Last Saturday.

On Saturday last it was our pleasure to attend the picnic at Providence, given under the auspices of the Prohibition Amendment League of that precinct. On the way to Providence we were favorably impressed with the many beautiful farms and other evidences of the prosperity of the people in the neighborhood of Lebanon and Seio. It is indeed encouraging to know Lebanon situated in the midst of broad and fertile fields, the possession of fertility, honorable men. This is the secret of the success of our merchants and all classes of business men.

On arriving at the Providence church we found the beautiful grove alive with the good people who had assembled there for advancing the great and glorious cause, prohibition, while the social features of the occasion were very pleasant indeed. Aside from this, too, it was learned that in the vicinity of Providence the people are almost a unit in favor of the abolition of the liquor traffic, and the opponents of temperance reform need expect no quarter from that direction in the pending conflict. And this further accounts for the general prosperity of the people, as sobriety, industry and economy are the principal elements in making and sustaining a prosperous community.

At the conclusion of Mr. Webb's address the audience was favored with a song by the Providence glee club, after which the president, Mr. Frank Smith, announced an intermission until 1:30 o'clock P. M. during which time the baskets and boxes containing the good things were opened, beneath the shades of the ancient oak and fir, and between 300 and 400 persons enjoyed the delicacies and substantial refreshments prepared by the ladies of the church and fair daughters had prepared for the occasion. The

Afternoon exercises were held in the capacious church, which was filled to overflowing. The audience were entertained with interesting speeches by Robt. Pentland, Esq., of Seio; Hon. W. W. Richardson, of Providence; Mr. H. F. Irvine, and Mr. Parker, of Mt. Pleasant; Mr. B. F. Darby and Mr. Shelton, of Seio, and Mr. Beard, of Jefferson; also parties from other places, while the Seio and Providence glee clubs entertained the exercises with choice selections of song. This meeting, like the Alliance at Seio last week, was an enthusiastic demonstration of the fact that public sentiment is strongly in favor of prohibition, and that the people are just now beginning to realize the dread results growing out of the liquor traffic. God speed the triumph of good over evil! Victory for prohibition in November!

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